

REMARKS

Claim 32-47 have been amended to improve readability and place them in proper U.S. format. Claims 33, 35, 36, and 38-47 have been amended to correct dependency. Claims 46 and 47 have been amended to remove multiple dependency. Claims 32-47 are pending.

In the Office communication mailed September 13, 2006, the Examiner stated that Applicants may want to elect between claims 32, 34, and 37 to speed prosecution. Applicants elect to prosecute claims 32, 33, 42, 43, 46, and 47. Applicants thank the Examiner for taking the time to explain his restriction requirement via telephone today, and request that those reasons be made of record in the file via an interview summary form or in the next Office communication.

Applicants submit that the pending, elected claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue. If it is determined that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.

In the event the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, applicants petition for any required relief including extensions of time and authorize the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 referencing docket no. 380412000110.

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